UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI EASTERN DIVISION

EPHRAIN JR. MARK MARCHAN,)	
)	
Petitioner,)	
v.)	No. 4:24-cv-00544-SEP
)	
THE REPUBLIC OF TRINIDAD AND)	
TOBAGO,)	
)	
Respondent.)	

MEMORANDUM AND ORDER

Before the Court is Petitioner's pro se Petition for a Writ of Habeas corpus under 28 U.S.C. § 2241. The Petition is defective because Petitioner has not paid the filing fee or filed a motion to proceed *in forma pauperis*. *See* 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a).

Accordingly,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Clerk shall mail to Petitioner a copy of the Court's Motion to Proceed *In Forma Pauperis* and Affidavit in Support—Habeas Cases (Form MOED-0038).

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Petitioner shall either pay the \$5 filing fee or submit the Motion to Proceed *In Forma Pauperis* and Affidavit in Support—Habeas Cases within twenty-one (21) days of the date of this Order.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that if Petitioner does not comply with this Order, the Court will dismiss this action without prejudice.

Dated this 18th day of April, 2024.

SARAH E. PITLYK

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE